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Manager.

Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

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CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.

RESERVE FUND,......1,600,000 Dollars. COURT OF DIRECTORS.

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LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and

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Chief Manager, Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

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The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be accertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business, E. G. VOUILLEMONT,

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Notices of Firms.

VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

WE, the Undersigned, having purchased the Lease and Plant of the above FOUNDRY and Engineering Works, intend carrying on BUSINESS of ENGINEERS, IRON and BRASS FOUNDERS, &c., from this Date under the Style and Title of "FENWICK, MORRISON & Co."

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For Sale.

FOR SALE, AULLER FRERES'S CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY, in Cases of 1 dozen Qts.

Apply to HESSE & Co., Sole Agents.

Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880.

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NITUNTZ PATENT YELLOW METAL SHEATHING, all Sizes; AND COMPOSITION NAILS, in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

G. R. LAMMERT. Peddar's Wharf Buildings, Hongkong, July 28, 1880.

FOR SALE.

TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Quarta......\$16 per 1 doz. Case. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

NOW READY. PRICE, \$1.00.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW,"

By E. H. PARKER. Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

JAPAN SELTZER WATER MANUFACTURED

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FIRST FLOOR and GROUND FLOOR of House No. 4, Praya East (known of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the BLUE HOUSES); Possession on the 1st of October.

Also. The HOUSE opposite the Wanchi Pier. Glass.

Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 Rooms, Din: etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on ;

MEYER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

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COAL GODOWNS-TO LET. DURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 48, 86A D and 59A, PRAYA EAST; with Private WHARP.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 1114 and 113, WANCHI ROAD,

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1880.

For Sale.

HAVE just Received the following NEW & IMPORTANT BOOKS. "La Conquete du Ton-Kin," Du-"La Provence Chinoise du Yün-Nan," Rocher, 2 vols., ... "Histoire de Relations de la Ching avec L'Annam." Deveria. ... Spor's "Engineers' and Contrators Prices 1880-81," "The Engineers' and Merchants'

works of Le Blanc & Armengand,... Culleys' "Handbook of Telegraphy," 5.00
"The Revised English Bible," "Sewers and Drains for Populous Districts," Dr. Farrar's "Eternal Hope,"

Drawing Book," compiled from the

"Choke Bore Guns," Greener, ... Ainsley's "Engineers' Guide." new edition, "Home Nursing,"... Hongkong, August 27, 1880.

" Macleod on Banking," new ed. A large assortment of new Juvenile "Facts about Port," "Dufton on Billiards," diagrams, Wallace's "Malay Archipelago," "Aids to Survey Practice,"... Sleman's "Torpedo Warfare,"

Reed's "Engineers' Guide," new

"Travels and Trout in the Anti-"The Rod Amsteur's Guide," Dr. Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism," Dr. Martin's "Essays on the Intellectual Life of the Chinese," New Pocket SLATES, from New Fancy NOTE PAPERS. PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS for Cabinets

New Designs in SCRAP BOOKS. NEWSPAPER CUTTINGS, ALBUMS. A New Stock of Dance MUSIC and

NOTICE.

MONSIEUR DEVILLE, Manufacturer of Chemical Products, 67, Faubourg St. Denis, Paris, has the honor to announce to the Public that the following Articles of the utmost utility in every household, and of which he is Inventor and Sole Manufacturer, sel4 are to be obtained in Hongkong from the undermentioned Firms.

L'ARGENTINE DEVILLE,

This celebrated liquid, which is guaranteed to be a solution of pure silver, is the only composition whereby articles of brass, copper, and all kinds of plated goods can be silvered without the aid of the electric battery.

DEVILLE'S RENOVATOR.

For restoring instantaneously all kinds of varnished and polished furniture without distinction of color, Billiard Tables, Pianos, Sewing Machines, Iron Bedsteads, Carriages, and Patent Leather, and, when used on Fixtures or Dry Goods Stores, will be found efficacious in preventing ants cating the wood and goods.

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For Harness, Carriage Covers, Hunting Boots, and to renew the brilliancy of Morocco leather of blue, green, black or any dark color, without altering the color, and to prevent Boots, &c., being eaten by insects and rendering the leather soft and waterproof.

On SALE by-Messis Lane, Crawford & Co., Sayle & Co. and Kruse & Co. Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

To Let.

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ITIWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley A Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL. The DWELLING HOUSES-Nos. 31 and 33, Wellington STREET. OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS, now in

the occupation of the Hongkong and Wham. oa Dock Co., with Strong Room attached also other OFFICES and CHAMBERS in the same Building. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 14, 1880.

TO LET. ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ELEGANT ENGLISH AND AMERICAN-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, OILS PAINTING, ENGRAVINGS, OLEOGRAPHS, GLAS-WARE, PLATED WARE, PIANO,

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auc-

SATURDAY,

the 18th September, 1880, at 2 p.m., at No. 9, Gage Street,-The whole of the ELEGANT ENGLISH and American-Made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-American-made Solid Walnut Velvet-

covered Drawing-room Suite. English-made Walnut Rep-covered Drawing room Suite, Marble-top Centre any Quantity on application to Tables, Walnut Card Tables, Chimney Glasses, Statuettes, Oil Paintings, Engravings, Oleographs, Vasos, Ornaments, Brussels Carpets and Hearth Ruge English-made Oak Dining-room Furniture, comprising :-- Telescope Dining

Table, Sideboard with Glass, Moroccocovered Couch and Chairs. English-made Walnut Cheffonier with Dinner, Dessert and Tea Sets, Cutlery,

rass and Plated Ware. American-made Walnut Double Bedsteads, Lady's Wardrobes, English-made Walnut Bureau with Glass and Daven- Goats, also on Cattle, &c., &c. Blue and Green Rep-covered Bedroom

A Cottage Plano, by Collard and Col-

Two Handsome Musical Boxes. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Friday, the 17th Instant. TERMS OF SALE. -- As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctionser. Hongkong, Sept. 7, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE. TR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANG-HAT, will return to Hongkong early in the Winter as usual. Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

Intimations.

CRICKET.

THE Annual General MEETING of the HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB will be Held at the Hongkong Club on TUES-DAY Next, the 14th Instant, at 6 p.m. GENTLEMEN wishing to join the Cricket Club, are requested to communicate with the Hon Sec.

WILLIAM BYNES, Hon. Sec., H.K. C. C. Hongkong, September 7, 1880.

NOTIOE. HE Public are warned against receiving FIVE DOLLARS NOTES of the Hougkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, numbered 122001 to 122500, dated 23rd pro Manager and R. A. Nelson pro Ac-

May 1877, and signed by Edward Cope countant, these Notes having been Stolen. For the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 31, 1880.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS are requested to send in a Statement of Business CONTRIBUTED during the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1880, on or before September 30th, on which Date the Accounts will be CLOSED.

By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1880. DYNAMITE, FUSES, PETONATORS,

TROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO.. LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in THE BORNEO Co., Ld., Agents.

Hongkonz, March 8, 1880. THE WONDER OF THE WORLD. Good News for all ! PROF. HERMAN'S

WORLD RENOWNED VERMIN DESTROYER! Which is known to be Far Superior to Anything yet discovered for killing Rate, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ants. Bugs, Cook-roaches, Black Beetles, Fleas on Dogs, Blight and Insects on Plants,

Moths in Furs, Tick or Scab on Sheep or This preparation has been applied with great success against the Insects that attack the Coffee Plants, and would doubtless be their risk and expense. equally efficacious with the Tea Plants. BULD IN PACKETS.

At One Shilling per packet; or six Packets for Five Shillings. The Powder is warranted free from all EDC | Cognac, from Marseilles. bad smell, and will keep in any climate, It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to Cate or Dogs, as they will not eat it, DIRECTION FOR USE ON EACH PACKET.

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GRAVEL LANE, Houndeditch.

CITY OF LONDON, ENGLAND. The above discovery has gained for Professor Berman a Silver Prize Medal at the Inter-Colonial Exhibition of Vintoria. Australia, of 1866, besides numerous Tes. Hongkong Agents:-F. BLACKHEAD & Co. W. Chuickshank, Victoria Dispensary.

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Intimations.

ΥΗΛS. J. GAUPP& Co., CHEONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCK. MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVERSMITHS, AND OPTICIANS,

VOIGTLÄNDER and Soun's Colebrated MA-RINE GLASSES, OPERA GLASSES, and TELESCOPES, Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailors' Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

SAILORS' HOME,

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

TIHE S. S. Loudoun Castle, MARSHALL 1 Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo, including O-rgo per steamer Trinacria, from New YORK, are hereby informed that all Goods -with the exception of Opium-are being landed, at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 10th lustant will be

subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agonts. Hongkong, September 3, 1880. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. NHE Steamship Euphrates, Capt. MIT CHELL, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at their risk and expense, and

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented before the 11th Instant, or they will not be recognized.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

no Fire Insurance will be effected.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. AMERICAN SHIP "SAN JOAQUIN, FROM ANTWERP. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

named Vessel are requested to send

in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 9, 1880. AMERICAN SHIP "CORA," FROM

ANTWERP, CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. Consignees are also informed that before delivery can be obtained, they will be required to algu the Average Bond. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, August 20, 1880. NOTICE. 2001/2500, 500 Boxes WIN-N (in dia.) DÓW GLASS.

2501/3000, 500 Boxes WIN-DOW GLASS. N (in dia.) } Shipped by Steinmann & Ludwig. CONSIGNEES of the above-named Cargo ex Cora are hereby informed that their Goods have been landed and stored, and

are now lying at their risk and expense. uninsured against Fire, in the Godowns of the Undersigned. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, August 24, 1880. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Owns. M N) 4560/61, Mr Paul Mignard, 2 casks Ex Peiho.

(in diamond), No. 8, 18/14, Order, 2 cases Flannel, &c., from London. QT (in diamond), 41/42, Order, 2 cases Perfumes, &c., from London. BS 1891/95, Order, 5 cases Colours, from Marseilles. HS 1870/74; Order, 5 cases Colours, from

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

HS 1864/65, Order, 2 cases Colours, from

Steamers.

The Steamship Have been appointed Sole Agents for " Thornhill." WALKER, Commander, shortly due from NAGA-SAKI, will be despatched for the above Port, on the 10th Proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hougkong, August 28, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

about the 10th Proxime. For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

The Steamship Inst., at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, September 3, 1880. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Capt. A. B. MACRAVISH, will be despatched for "Arratoon Apcar." the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th Inst., at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, NEWOHWANG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on

Captain Hy. Jones, will be despatched on or about the 11th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship Capt. S. Ashron, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 7, 1880.

FOR YOKOHAMA. The Steamship "Euphrates,"
Capt. MITCHELL, shortly
due, will have immediate despatch for the above Port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, September 1, 1880.

FOR PORT DARWIN (DIRECT). The Steamship "Cassandra,"
LANGER, Commander,
will load here for the

RUSSELL & Co.

VOGEL & Co. Agents. Hongkong, August 30, 1880.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship "Stentor,"
Capt. J. KIRKPATRICK,
will be despatched on or about the 13th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Capt. R. F. Scale, will be despatched on or about the 21st September. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, August 80, 1880.

FOR WLADIVOSTOCK. The Steamer "Pernambuco," Captain WM. Hyde, will be despatched an above For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Steamers

NOTICE. COMPAGNIK DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS. The Co.'s Steamship "Volga," Commandant GUIBAND. will be despitched for YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of

G. DE OHAMPKAUX

the next French Mail from Europe.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship "Iraquaddu. Commandant MACE, will be despatched for HANGHAI shortly after her arrival from

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship "South American Snip
"South American."

Knowles, Master, will foad here
for the above Port, and will

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship-

For Freight, apply to

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, August 30, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A I British Ship The A I British Ship
"Prince Amadeo,"
LINSKILL, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will

VOGEL & Co.

RUSSELL & Co. flongkong, August 12, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

bave quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark General Fairchild,"

Kelley, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship The A I American Ship
"Raphael,"
SHERMAN, Master, will load

Hongkong, July 2, 1880. FOR SAN. FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship The A 1 British Ship
"Cilurnum,"
Captain Beadle, will load here
for the above Port, and will

VOGEL & Co. FOR LONDON.

Hougkong, May 19, 1880.

MANOHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON, ESTABLISHED 1824.

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Hongkong, Canton, Foothow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

TIME Undersigned, Agents for the above L Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. MELOHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874,

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Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAI.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

"Deucation,"
Capt. Thos Pordy, will
be despatched on or

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, August 25, 1880.

CALOUTTA. The Steamship
"Sucz,"
Captain J. D. EATON, with be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 11th

The Steamship

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

the YANGTSZE,) The Co.'s Steamship "Telemachus."

Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

Ports on SUNDAY, the 12th Instant, at Daylight,

above Port, and will have immediate deapatch.

Hongkong, September 4, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON PIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship

Agente.

on or about the 1st Proxime. MELOHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, September 4, 1880.

Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

Agent. Hongkong, September 6, 1880.

have quick despatch.

HARRIMAN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

The A 1 American Ship "Rosic Welt." WELT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 12, 1880.

For Freight, apply to LOCKT & Co.

Hongkong, June 19, 1880. The A 1 British Ship The A 1 British Ship
"Clyderdale,"
HATFIELD, Master, will load

insurances.

ITIHE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1880.

will have quick despatch.

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch, For Freight, apply to VOUEL & Co.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. HAVE JUST RECEIVED

FOR THE SPORTING SEASON FOWLING PIECES. An Invoice of Messra P. Webleys' 12-bore Breech Load-ING CENTRAL FIRE GUNS. Messrs WARD & Sons' 12-bore CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADING HAMMERLESS AND SELF-COCKING GUNB. GREEN CARTRIDGE CASES. HARD AND SOFT WADS.

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"Treasury of the Earth." Pepys' "Diary and Correspondence." "Abbeys, Castles, and Halls of England."
"Magician's Own Book." Sheridan's "Complete Works." Johnson's "Lives of the Poets." "Book of Authors."

Evelyn's "Diary and Correspondence." "A Century of Anecdotes." Pope's Homer's "Illad and Odysseys." "Koran." Carpenter's "Popular Elecution."

"Beat of Everything." "Manners and Tone of Good Society." "Society Small Talk." "Bow We are Governed." "Illustrated Birthday Motto Book." "Half Hours," Z Vols. "Half Hours of Roglish History." Warne's "Model Crockery."

"The Modern Householder." "Home Doctoring." "Domestic Medicine and Surgery." "The Chandos Classics." "The Companion Library."
"Notable Novels."

Twain's "Choice Works." "The Art of Amusing." "The Merry Circle." "Magio no Mystery." "Hanky Panky."

"Secret Out." Westropp's "Book of Pottery." Baker's "Clouds in the East. " Architectural Styles." " History of Advertising." "Birthday Gift Books."

" Partisan Life with Mosby." Williams' " Middle Kingdom." Haswell's "Engineer's Pocket Book." Rush's "Philosophy of the Human Voice." Cowan's "Curious Facts of Insects." "Franklin Square" Library. Harpers' "Half-hour" Series. "Seaside" Library.

Tauchnite's "Novels and Dictionaries." Hongkong, September 2, 1880.

" Notable Novels."

Mails.

NOTICE,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTR FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, FOINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES;

ALSO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

(N MONDAY, the 13th day of September, 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. ANADYR, Commandant DIDIER, WITH MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 12th September, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkons, August 31, 1880. **s**e13



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA.

ITTHE S. S. NIIGATA MARU, Captain WALKER, due here on or about the 13th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 18th September, at Daylight. Cargo received on board and Parcels at

the Office up to 6 p.m. of 17th September. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight. All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE. To KeBE...... Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. _{пр} Уоконама & † Do. \$75. Do. NAGABAR I... A REDUCTION IS made on RETURN CABIN

PASSAGES. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobo. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, No. 50A, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, September 4, 1880.



SPEAM FOR BINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANGAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON;

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INME PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KHIVA, Captain ALDERTON, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 18th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, September 7, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE · CENTRAL

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Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 23rd September. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

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For further information as to Freight | per cent. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. CHAS. H. HASWELL, JR., Agent.

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Hongkony, January 1, 1874.

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Pongkong, August 26, 1880. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, HONGKONG. Position of the Company at the close of the last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED......\$1,000,000 00 CAPITAL PAID-UP...... \$ 300,000,00 RESERVE FUND \$ 425 000 00 BALANCE UNDIVIDED...... \$ 70,278.43 DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE-HOLDERS 20 % per Annum. DIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS

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ceived, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

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PERMANENT REBERVE.....Tls 230,000 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.......Tls. 263, 268 TOTAL CAPITAL and Ac-CUMULATIONS, 8 thTIn. 913,268 April, 1880,......

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To-day's Advertisements.

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FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Capt. E. Sohultze, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 10th Inst.,

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BHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

Sept. 8, Telemachus, British eteamer, 1421, H. Jones, Liverpool July 21, Penang Aug. 30, and Singapore Sept. 2, General. LUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Sept. 9, Yangteze, British steamer, from

Sept. 9, Faugh a Balaugh, German bark, July. from Whampou. Sept. 9, Serapis, British steamer, 1270, North, Amoy Sept. 7, Tea and General. -Russell & Co. Sept. 9, Yungching, Chinese steamer.

Sept. 9, Emma, German 8-m. schooner, Sept. 9, Hing Shing, Chinese steamer, 444, J. C. Hawthorne, Tamsui Sept. Amoy, and Swatow, General. - C. M. S. N

DEPARTURES. Sept. 9, Flintshire, for London, do. Albay, for Swatow, do. Chinkiang, for Canton. Serapis, for Singapore. Freya, German corvt., for Ohefoo. 9, City of Peking, for Yokohama and John Nicholson. San Francisco. 9. Hamburg, for Newchwang.

OLEARUD. Charite, for Bangkok. Kepler, for Newchwang. Alice Mary, for Foochow. Wega, for Salgon. Telemachus, for Amoy & Shanghai. Yangtsze, for Shanghai,

PARSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Telemachus, from Liverpool, &c., Mesars White and Kash and 14 others, and 400 Chinese. Per Hing Shing, from Amoy, &c., 243

Per City of Peking, for Yokohama, Capt. Wedehouse; for San Francisco, Mr H. M. Blanchard, Dr and Mrs Kerr and daughter, Misses Brereton (2), and 220 Chinese. Per Flintshire, for Singapore, 12 Ohinese. Per Albay, for Swatow, &c., 1 Europeau, and 100 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

TO DEPART. Per Telemachus, for Amoy and Shanghai, 85 Chinesc. Per Yangtsze, for Shanghai, 7 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Telemachus reports Left Liverpool on 21st July; experienced fine weather crossing the Arabiau Sea, and in the Bay of Bengal experienced moderate monsoon and rainy weather. Sept. 2nd. left Singapore; had light variable winds and equally weather throughout. On the 7th passed S. S. Killarney bound Southward, N. B. of the Paracels. The Chinese steamer Hing Shing reports: Fine wea her and light winds throughout.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SHANGHAL .-Per Yungching, at 1.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 10th inst. Per Yangtsze, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 10th inst.

FOR STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, AND OALOUTTA.-Per Sucz and Arratoon Apear, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 11th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOGHOW .-

the 11th inst. For BANGKOK .-Per Consolation, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 13th inst.

Per I)ouglas, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,

For JAPAN via KOBE.-Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 17th last. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA .--

Per Malacca, is postponed till further

notice.

the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE FRUNCH PACKET .-. French Contract Packet Anadyr will be despatched on MONDAY the 13th September, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits Settlemente, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta | Soda and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-The British Contract Packet Khiva will be despatched on SATURDAY the 18th September, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib-

raltar. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE FRENCH MAILS. The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the French Contract Packet :--Saturday,— 5 r.m.—Money Order Office closes.

Post Office closes, except the NIGHT Box, which is always open out of Office hours. Monday,-'A.M. - Post Office opens. A.M.-Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

Late Fee of 10 cents until entirely.

departure. Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest

London and Colonial Papers, &c.:-

VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG. Left. Name. From. May. Glargow 6. Diana. Cuxhaven 31. Dorothea, London 5. Titanla, Antwerp 5. Vale of Doon. Cardiff 10. Dr Petermann, 10, Agnes Muir, Hamburg London 15. Oldbridge. Cardiff 16, Valparaiso, N'castle (N.s. W 17, Goldhunter, Cardiff 22, Annie H Smith. Penarth. 24, Blairnoyle, Hamburg 24. Hotspur, Pecarth | 28. Importer. 1, Bengala (a.) Genoa -Hamburg

Penarth. 5. Weser, Cardiff 5. Belle of Oregon, N'castle (N.S.W.) 6. Brunette. Antwerp 13, Scholde, London 17. Charlton, 17. Warwick Castle. Antwerp London. 22. Stentor (a.) 22, Channel Queen, Cardiff Antwerp 25, Vortigern (s.) Cardiff 27. James Bailey. Cardiff 28. G est Admiral, Card:ff 28, Orion, LOADING FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS At London.—Steamer via Suez Canal.

Sailing Vessels. At Liverpool. Bellerophon (s.) Asia (6) At Hamburg Hakon Adelsten (s.)

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At Newcastle, N.S.W. Dagnar. Cashmere. Penobacot. Catharina.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Thornhill leaves for Shaughal. 5 p.m. - Yangteze leaves for Shanghai. Goods per Loudoun Cartle undellvered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

BATURDAY, September 11 :--Noon. -Auction of piece or parcel Groun at Mr J. M. Armstrong's Sales Rooms. for Singapore, &c. SUNDAY, September 12:--

Porte. MONDAY, September 13:-Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

TUESDAY, September 14:--6 p.m. - Meeting of Cricket Club. THURSDAY, September 16:--9 p.m. -Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. votes that have previously been ap-SATURDAY, September 18 :--

Yokohama, ako. 2 p.m. -- luction of Househeld Furniture, &., at No. 9, Gago Street (by Mr J. M. Armstrong). p.m — English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

FRIDAY, September 24:-3 p.m. -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Francisco.

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reference. The publication of this issue commerced

at 7.30 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, SEPT. 9, 1880 Ir we were to accept all the fine utterances of which Governor Hennessy has whom they are rather open if not exposed. delivered himself regarding freedom of This new style is meant to meet the difficuldiscussion, we might unthinkingly come ty. The general design is more like a small A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late | to the conclusion that this Crown Colony was a sort of Utopia as far as 11.10 A.M.—Letters may be posted with | constitutional Government is concerned Occasional incidents, however, arise 11.30 A.M. - when the Post Office closes | which tend to keep the memory green as to the lack of popular representation, | waist high. The arrangement runs on three 11140 A.M. -- Late Letters may be posted | and remind one that the pleasant fiction on board the packet with Late of popular Government is merely what-Fee of 10 cents until time of ever an overbearing Governor may choose to make it-a useful adjunct to the official machinery, or a solemn kind of Parliamentary pantomime. The Legislative Council meets to-morrow to discuss the Estimates for 1881, and we had hoped to be able to make a few

to the non-official members. -for the first time for very many years. In spite of repeated applications, verthe Acting Colonial Secretary (offiwere sent round to the unofficial memthey are printed; and it has been rewhich is to prevent the fullest discussion totals given in the Ordinance and from severely some of the principal features of the Appropriation Bill ; but from the strange and unprecedented action of the

any great or effective stand being made against any of the votes proposed for 1881, or for an increase on the vote for public works. The Hon. W. Keswick, even if supported by the senior unofficial for which it was created being completed.

to deal with its details.

member (Mr Ryrie), cannot do morethan enter a protest against the tendency of the Governor's financial policy. It is absurd to expect any of the official members to oppose any of His Excellency's pet schemes, as such conduct, judging from numerous precedents, would entail the official if not the severe personal displeasure of the Queen's Representative. The voice of the native member of the Council has not yet been heard in the halls of the Great Council; 3 p.m.—Sucz and Arratoon Apcar leave and the seat which is ornamentally filled by that discreet but worthy gentleman may be regarded as virtually vacant, Daylight.—Douglas leaves for Coast | so far as the public is concerned. Under present circumstances, therefore, it is vain to look for any discussion upon ways and means that is at all likely to have any satisfactory result. Indeed, even the Finance Committee (whose deliberations are conducted with closed doors) have frequently to formally pass proved, after a series of despatches, by Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for the authorities in Downing Street. And when the force is enacted of publicly sanctioning the expenditure of money over which the Council has in reality no power or inclination (under existing circumstances) to question, the Appropriation Bill will be passed, and forwarded for the approval of the Sccretary Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San of State for the Colonies. As we have said, the check furnished by an independent Council, under favourable conditions, has been frequently shown to be of some little service; but as we have over and over again pointed out, these insignificant privileges accorded to a Crown Colony can only be exercised when the relations existing between the Governor and his Council members are very different from those which obtain at present. Our readers will therefore. while watching with interest what takes place at the meeting now called, realise in some measure the comparative helplessness in which the reign of Governor Hennessy has placed the tax-paying community. He governs the Colony, and, with the exception of slight checks from Downing Street, he seeks but little help in doing so. "The fullest dis-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

cussion" ought to be taken at its proper

The next FRENCH MAIL may be expected to arrive here on Sunday morning next, the 18th inst., by the M. M. str. Iraouaddy. The next American Mail may be expected here on or about the 14th inst., by the O. & O. steamer Gaelic, which left San Francisco on

the 17th August. WE are informed by the Agent that the M. M. steamer Iraouaddy, with the next French Mail, left Saigon at 3 p.m., and passed Cape St. James at 8 p.m., yesterday (8th),

for this port. THE steamer Telemachus which arrived here to-day from Liverpool, under the command of Captain Jones (formerly of the Antenor), other persons who may desire to con- is one of the latest additions to Messrs Holt and Co.'s steam fleet. Her dimensions are American, English, Indian or Austra. as follows:-Length 330 feet, breadth lian newspapers, are invited to call at 34.6 feet, depth 26 feet; horse power nothe "China Mail." Office, where over | minal 250; built by Messrs A. Leslie and sixty newspapers, dailles and weeklies, | Co. of Newcastle; compound inverted difrom these countries, are now filed for | rect acting engines; grosstonnage 2188.04; nett 1421,07; signal letters T. J. K. Q.; carries 12 first-class and 32 third-class pas-

> A NEW 'rickshaw is on the stand to-day, and we hear that a Chinese firm of chairbuilders intends to place a large number on the same plan at the disposal of the public. The imported 'rickshaws have not been in the slightest degree patronised by ladies, for single "buggy" than anything we can compare it to, the windows right and left merely creened not glazed. The compartment is neatly covered-in in front with a cover, wheels and seems at once comfortable and safe, if not elegant.

We see it mentioned in the telegrams con-

tained in the Indian papers that, before the appointment was conferred on Sir Hercules Robinson of Governor of Cape Colony, the remarks upon several of the items which name of Sir Arthur Kennedy was mentioned might or might not have been of service | as that of the likely successor of Sir Bartle This Frere at the Cape. A telegram dated pleasure has, however, been denied us August 5th says,-"Colonel Gordon is named as likely to be chosen as Sir Bartle bally and by letter, to the Acting Frere's successor." We believe another Colonial Secretary (unofficially), to the illustrious personage was named as likely Private Secretary (verbally), to the to succeed to the Governorable of the Cape Government Printer (verbally) and to but only so mentioned by himself. In cially), we have not yet been favoured regard to Sir Bartle Frere's going home we with a copy of the Detniled Estimates for | read that "It is announced that Sir Bartle 1881. The official application was made | Frere, who was recently appointed Lord on the afternoon of the 7th, two days High Commissioner for the South African since; and to that letter no reply has Colonies, has been recalled. It is underas yet been received. The Estimates stood that the Government have arrived at bers just a fortnight ago to-day. It has a decision to the effect that since the negohitherto been the custom to furnish the liations for the federation of the South Press with copies of such documents on African Colonies have been closed, Sir the first reading, or so soon afterwards as Bartle Frere's services there are no longer necessary, he having been appointed with a inaugurate a new system, the result of pecial view to bringing about such federation." This is a rather roundabout way which it has been the alleged desire of of saying that the Government have let Governor Hennessy to invite. The Sir Barile down easy. As to the position "general principle" of the Estimates Sir Heroules Robinson takes up, the ject was attainable from a study of the promotion is not so great, from a mere money point of view, as would be at first a brief glance at the Estimates them- supposed. Sir Bartle Frere drew at the selves. It has been our duty to criticise Cape as Governor of the Colony 25000, as High Commissioner \$1000, for house \$750; 82000 from Imperial Funds (personal and Governor in withholding the information temporary), and also a pension of £.500 a year, from the Indian Government. Sir asked for, we are not now in a position Bartle Frere was therefore drawing £ 10,250 There is little likelihood, however, of at one time. Some months ago we were told that his salary as High Commissioner was stopped. That probably meant the

abolition of the post on the special work

seem to have only the £5000 Governor's salary and £750 in lieu of a Government variforship of New Zealand is £:000 and up to date:there are allowances of £2500. Probably some special arrangement will be made in view of the special ability required at the Cape of Good Hope at the prese: t time. The position, in view of recent events, is a most responsible one, and the compliment paid by the Colonial Office to Sir Dercules is of considerable import.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SWORN BROKERS. . To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL,"

September 9th, SIR,—Considering the great commercial importance of this Colony, it seems to me astonishing that the luftuential body of Brokers who transact such an extensive portion of the business coming to this port do not apply to the Government to introduce some local ordinance by which mombers of the profession could become Swarn Brokers. It may be said, there is always the Courts to apply to. But to this I say the technicalities of the law have favoured transactions in the past that would not for a moment have been brought before a strike a defaulting member off their rolls. H. E. the Governor would find some fair addition would be added to the income of this Colony by conferring the privilege of being sworn; besides which such a law would receive the hearty support of the profession and equally so if the public I hope this may lead to others expressing their views on this subject.

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. Ng Choy) Thursday, Sept. 0.

SCRUTATOR.

LARCENY ON BOARD SHIP. Pane Apak, a carpenter, was charged with stealing one pillow-noz, \$90 in money and 7th of September Inst.

place during the voyage, and that at about missed the pillow box and contents. When he left the place the prisoner was there. but on his return he was not. He immediately reported the less to the Captain and money lost was about \$105.

Wan Aleun stated that he was a passenger by the steamer Telemachus and that at 2 a.m. on the morning of the 7th instant. the prisoner carry away a plilow-box. There were two pillow-boxes, one of which belonged to the prisoner and the other to the first witness. The pillow-box that prisoner took away was not the prisoner's but the first witness's.

The defendant stated in his defence that he did not sleep in the same place as the complainant and that he did not take his pillow box.

Complainant and prisoner both desiring that the case be summarily dealt with the mouths' imprisonment with hard labour.

MORE PAK KOP PIU LOTTERIES. Wong Chun Ng, Li Aun and Hu Aklu were arrested by Inspector Perry on a warrant charged with keeping an a cooy for dealing in Lottery tickets. The second defendent having pleaded guilty, he was fined \$100, in default of payment, he was committed to gaol for three months with hard labour. Inspector Perry then withdrow the charge as against the other prisoners, and they were discharged.

SNATCHING BARRINGS. Mok Awing, a hawker, was charged with anatching a pair of earrings from the cars of one Pun Afun, a married woman, in the

Prisoner on pleading guilty was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard

JAN-TAN. The case in which Lai Amuk was charged on the 5th instant with permitting fundan to be carried on in his house No. 21 Gilman Street, was again brought up, and the defendant was fined \$100, or three months'

imprisonment with hard labour.

LARCENY. Two men, Cheung Achung and Lum Asam, were charged with atealing a pair of troumers value \$3.20 on the 7ch, the property of a painter. The first prisoner was discharged for want of proof; the second who had been three times proviously convioted, was ordered to find security in 450 to be of good behaviour for three months. In default, to be committed for one month

(Before the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy).

DANGREOUS GOODS. Ka Atak was charged with exposing Kerosine oil for sale without a label on the case, stating the description of the goods with the word "Dangerous," and with the addition of the name and address of the vendor as required by ord, 8 of 1873, 203. X cl. (b). The case was proved by a Sikh Constable. The tin contained

days' imprisonment with hard labour; the the question of substitution of Lieut Kerosine to be forfeited.

Abraulting a constable. Chan Atuk and Yun A-up, two rice pounders, where charged with assaulting Mahomed Jahn, P. C., 523, in the erecution of his duty. The Constable had come upon a body of men gambling, and seized the list defendant who caught him by the collar, struck him on the back and struggled with him. He cried out "save life," when the Constable was bringing this man to the office, a crowd followed | words spoken being held privileged as being calling out tah. The second defendant was in answer to a question by a friend; each one of the ring-leaders of those who create party is to pay his own coats. ed the disturbance, and he was apprehended by another Constatie.

The first prisoner was fined \$10, alterns. tive 10 days; the second \$20 or a month

A good story is told of General Butler's sarcistle retort upon a Massachusetta judge, whom he was teasing for a ruling favorable to a cause he was defending in court. The judge got out of patience at last. somewhat testily exclaimed, "Mr Butler, what do you think I sit here for ?" The General quietly shrugged his shoulders, and replied .- The Court has got me

Fir Hercules Robinson would therefore LATEST INDIAN TELEGRAMS. | Cabul will be hutted at Campbellpore near | The following Indian and other telegrams to hand to-day are later or fuller House. The salary attached to the Go- than those that have been published here

> LONDON AND CONTINENTAL TELEGRAMS. Cairo, Aug. 17 .- in the House of Com-

mons last night the Employer's Liability Bill was read the third time. London, Aug. 19 - Mr Forster has started for Ireland to enquire if there be any necessity for introducing coercive measures. Constantinople, Aug. 18 -The Minister

London, Aug. 18.—The report that barrels of gunpowder had been found in a railway tunnel at Cork turns out to be a

In the House of Commons last night

of his fanaticism.

Lord Hartington submitted the Indian Budget. His Lordship after entering into details of revenue and expenditure said be was not sanguine that any changes in the civil branch of Government would effect saving of expenditure, and after strain of Afghan war the army required considerate and generous treatment. Policy of creat ing famine fund had failed because it was necessary to borrow the £460,000 which had been set aside for it. Lord Ripon considered that the time had arrived to make a new departure in Indian Finance; at present therefore it was impossible to board of Sworn Brokers, who had power to repeal the License Tax. Error which had occurred in estimating war expens a areathrough faulty method of keeping cougts: 6,000,000 was estimated of war for three years, but 2,250,000; 3,250,000 and 3,500,000 must be added to each year successively, deducing 1,000,000 increased profits from Railways and telegraphs and adding 4,000,000 for cost of frontier railway: total war expenses amount to 18,000,000 after deducting surpluses amounting to 11.000.00); deficit is £7.000.000. Lord Hart noton at the close of the statement accused the late government with negligence bordering on blindness in ac cepting estimates of war and with reckles determination to underestimate its difficulties; he further said that recent events in Candahar were not contemplated when arriving at the above calculations, but Indian Government could raise a loan if

sundry articles of clothing on board the | necessary. It was however not intended British steamer Telemachus at sea on the to add permanently to the debt of Iudis and any assistance rendered from the Im-Li Atsoi stated that he was formerly a perial Treasury this year would be temhawker in Penang and was a passenger porary. No definite pro oral on the by the British steamer Telemachus, which subject would be made until it is accurately vessel arrived here last night; that the pri- known what will be the absolute total of soner and another man slept in the same war expenses. Pecuaitry aid will not be given as charity to India, but from princi-2 a.m. on the 7th instant to left his place | plo of justice and will not interfere with for a short time and on his return he India's financial independence. Mr Otway moved that reduction in Indian expenditure should be made. Mr Stanhops defended the late Government against strictures of Lord Hartington in trusting Estimates of of the vessel, and in consequence of that Indian Government and said the agreement report the prisoner was locked up the next | of his Lordship in justification of the im-The total value of the articles perial Government charing war expenses would justify exemption of India from bearing any portion of it. Mr Fawcett urged the appointment of strong committee to overhaul working of Indian Act 1858. when first witness was on deck, he saw especially as to Financial Control exercised by the Indian Council to London. Mr

> St. Petersburg, Aug. 10.—General Kauf mann left Tashkend on the 7th instant to survey the Kashgarian-Russian frontier and to inspect the troops at Alga. London, Aug. 12.—The interview of the Emperors of Germany and Austria which took place at Isohl yesterday is considered

Otway's motion was ultimately withdrawn

and an adjournment agreed to.

conductve to peace. The Duke of Cambridge, the Duke Magistrate sentenced the prisoner to five Connaught, and Sir Garnet Wolseley will attend the autumn manceuvres of German army.

London, Aug. 12.-In the House of Commons this evening, the Secretary of State for India in reply to a question, said that the Indian Government would institute an enquiry into the recent disaster at Kandahar. His lordship also said that it would be desirable after the conclusion of the war to consider the question relating to the improvement of the organisation of the Indian army and the number of men of

which it should consist. Constantinop e, Aug. 12.—The Porte is now so vacillating that instead of Abeddin Pasha, Minister of War, Riza Bey, Governor of Constantinople, supported by large number of troops, is now ordered to Scutari to endeavour primarily to execute the orti convention, in case of failure to obtain the surrender of Dulc.jno.

London, Aug. 13.—Medal is granted for the Zulu War. Parliament is expected to be prorogued

on September 11th. London, Aug. 17.—The Daily New publishes a paragraph which states that for some time past large quantities of pri ited matter intended to excite Mussulmans in India against the British Government has been sent from Constantinople to India There are indications that it has been prepared and forwarded with the knowledge of the Porte.

Further official correspondence on the subject of the Afghan war expenses has been published. The Viceroy telegraphed to Lord Hartington on July 20th follows: - The estimate of expenditure was 15,000,000 pounds which was based on the actual treasury issue up to end of June last; assuming that the evacuation of the Northern territory of Afghanistan will be completed by the end of October and that the present rate of actual expenditure will be continued 2,000,000 more will remain to cover the estimated expenditure up to end of March next, including batta granted to

the troops. Cairo, Aug. 17.—The Nile is rising rapid ly, precautionary measures have been taken to prevent an inundation.

London, Aug. 17.-In the House Lords this evening, Lord Northbrook said pounds of oil. The tin was not sealed, but | that Government did not intend to suspend Defendant was flued \$5, in default, 14 on the Duke of Buckingham retiring, but Governors for Madras and Bombay is worthy of future consideration. In the House of Commons this evening Lord Hartington said that it was not intended to increase the Indian debt if it could be avoided, assistance, however, from the Imperial treasury was necessary to defray the Afghan War expenses.

> AFGHAN NEWS. Allahabad, Aug. 12 .- The case of Maitland vs. Beresford has been dismissed, the

Allahabad, Aug. 14 .- The latest from Cabul is that immediately after the recent interview the Ameer returned to his camp at Deb Gopak. On the departure of the British troops Sherpur was at once occupied by 500 Kossidars and the Hez Damari, a celebrated Turkestan cavalry regiment. The Bala Hissar was taken over by General Gholam Hyder Khan with one infantry regiment and 100 cavalry. The Ameer received a salute of 31 guns. The city people were orderly. The customary mises to be a success. The Club house is pickets have been established on all ap in Dover street, Piccadilly, and nearly 800 proaches to the city and a passport system | members have joined, including the Dukes enforced. On their withdrawal from the of Hamilton and Montrose, and the Mar-Khyber most of the troops returning from | quis of Huntly.

Rawul Pindee. The Punjab Government has been directed to put up a relter there with all possible speed for 11,000 men. Lundi Kotal will soon be the most advanced post we shall hold beyond Peshawur. News from Khelat-i-Ghilzai reports all well there up to 8th and supplies plentiful, Cabul soldiers in Ayub's army much disconcerted at the news that Abdurrabman has been formally recognized by the British as Ameer. Communication with Kandahar is still very difficult owing to tribal com-

Allahabad, Aug. 15.—A message from Kandahar of 9th says Ayub is busy making of Police has been dismissed in consequence preparations to attack the city after an with the British Garrison. Large bands of Kakozais are looting the Pishin villages: proposal to the Government of India to withdraw the advanced brigade to Kandahar. Government is wholly guiltless of

overruling General Primress on this point. defences have been strengthened, buildings outside the city walls destroyed. guns mounted, and every preparation made to resist attack. The spirit of the have been wounded in quelling disturbance. From Khoisk all is reported quiet. Heliographic communication established between Knejak and Kilia Abduila.—Cabul, tenth August, the Amir marches to-day to Deh-Khojak, between two and three miles from Sherpur. With him are a large number of Siedars and Chiefs and his regular force, but he has dismissed to their homes the great majority of the tribosmen. morrow he will come to Sherpur in order to meet General Stewart and the chief poli treal officer, who immediately after the will ride to Butkhak, the first march from Ca ul. Mushki Alam has arrived in Amir's

Butkhak, Aug. 11.—Last night the Amir arrived at Deh Kujak, three miles from Cabul. At seven this morning he came to Sherpur, where tents had been pitched and where he was received by General Stowart. the chief political officer, and a large upmber of military officers. The interview was very natisfactory, lasting a quarter of an hour. He enters Sherpur to-day. withdrawal of the troops was effected with the utmost order without any accident. All the districts in the neighbourhood of Cabul are tranquil: there is no excitement on the line of march. Mushki Alam and all the principal Ghi zai chiefs are in the Amir's camp. News from the Kandahar column is good. A letter from Kandahar dated 5th received in Quettah, gives reas suring news of the garrison. The report that Ayub was wounded in trying to stop a | 3rd ult., and proceeds :--figut between Kabuli and Herati regiments is repeated. The Thull Chotioli and Hurnai forces have arrived at North Chuppar without encountering any opposition. Three 9 pounder guns drawn by bullocks and escorted by a detachment of the 2-11th Regiment leave this evening for the Khojak.

Quetta, Aug. 16 .- The military post at Kach-amadan was attacked this morning by Kakar Pathans, who were beaten off losing eighty killed. The troops pursued the enemy for two miles A telegram from Chaman last night stated that letters had arrived there from Kellat-i-Ghilz i dated 12th August : the country was quiet and supplies in the fort abundant. Ool. Tanner says he will be able to help Genl. Roborts with supplies. Our losses in the action of the twenty-seventh are now stated to be in kil ed artitlery 18, Sappera 23, 66th 282, 250, Sind Horse 10, 3rd Cavalry about 20. The Herati troops are stated to have

Simla, 19 - News from Kandahar, dated eleventh, states that there are rumours of ag attack on the south side of the city at Shikarput gate; firing is kept up morning and evening from villages on three sides of the city. The defences are nearly completed and the ground has been cleared outside the walls. Casualties up to date trifling. Dr Trafford of the Fusitiers slightly wounded. Arivate Orton of the Fusiliers killed. Two men of the Fusiliers slightly wounded; Jemadar Metulla Sing 30th N. I., killed, and several natives an doing well. Up to date the strength of the garrison is effective. Europeans 1,243, Native soldiers 3,386, sick Europeans 157 sick natives 225. News received in Quetta on the eighteenth from the military post at Kach amadan states that forty-eight trenchments after the attack was repulsed | der and murder. London, Aug. 4.—The harmony of the Powers in bringing pressure to bear upon l'urkey to enforce the fulfilment of the gonditions of the Berlin Conference is waning, France especially is showing a desire to re-

nounce responsibility in the matter. There is great excitement throughout the country in consequence of the rejection of the Irish Tenan's Relief Bill by the agitating for the abolition of the hereditary House of Lords. They do not, however, object to a second Chamber of the Legisla-

Thayetmyo, Aug. 11.-- I hear on good provisions and endeavour to bring about a settlement of our differences with Upper

Allahabad, Aug. 16 .- Ayub Khan having Sirder Noor Mehomed Khan and thulam Nabl. Public Works Contractor. The Bala Hissar is being put in repair, the Ameer remaining at Sherpur. Mahomed Jan lies

sick at Jugato, his residence. Simla, Aug. 18 .- Information received at Quetta from Kandahar states that Ayub's Brigade has arrived at Gundamuck from Penwan without a single shot having been fired at the rear guard.

THE "BOWEN" PIRACY CASE JAPANESE AND CHINESE (Straits Times.)

Another humiliating example has been given of the incompetency, we unauccessful attempt to come to terms of her, to the number of some three care of the Japanese Department of The Pioneer emphatically contradicts the to be heard of. The tragedy very nearly lowing as the occupation of these nine:-Simla, Aug. 11.—Nows from Khandahar derous miscreants engaged in it were and is also studying the practice in troops is good, and one or two successful There was not a shadow of doubt about Minos, and they are studying the branch skirmishes with villagers have taken place. their guilt and there could not be in the by practical investigation there. Two Herati and Cabuli troops are said to have minds of any reasonable man. Yet we graduated at the Polytechnic Institute, quarrelled over booty captured after learn from the Hongkong papers that Troy, N.Y. and are now studying practi-Burrows' defeat, and Ayub is reported to the charge against them has been discally." missed by the Polico Magistrate, and impunity once more their acfarious Yung Wing, at Washington, who was condemn with unsparing severity the of the Executive in the case, and if there made that the decision given was in- the army, has some students. Remarkinterview, the troops having already left, fluenced by an opinion coming from a ing on the similarities and contrasts of Bowen case was made too much of, that the poor innocent "lambs" had been badly treated throughout, and that the feeling which had been engendered concerning the case was the outcome of a cue, and wears his loose trousers and lamentable prejudice of the European colonists against the Chinese as a race. then it is time that the attention of the Home Government should be promptly drawn to the administration of law and justice in Hongkong. The China Mail is outspoken on the subject, and in its issue of the 3rd August gives such an admirable resumé of the whole case that we cannot do better than let our readers peruse it remarks in full:—

The Straits Times then produces our leading article on this subject of the

We are much mistaken if our contemporary's views will not be endorsed to the letter by every man of common sense who reads them. In its issue of the next day, the Mail has the following paragraph regarding the action us that the same blame must equally attach in the matter to our Executive here. The twenty-six pirates embarked on board the Bowen from this port, and it was only reasonable to expect that our authorities should have been able to furnish some evidence or information against them or give some account of Mail them. So far as we are aware, they knew nothing and did nothing. Bombay Grenadiers, 365; Jacobs R.fl s | Chinese Department had a grand opportunity to distinguish itself, but does

> Our local paragraph of the 4th ulto. on the action of the Executive in the Bowen case is here taken, and the Times

> not appear to have been equal to the

writer concludes as follows:---The flasco in Hongkong cannot fail to tend to the great encouragement similar exploits, and the moral to be lrawn from it by the Captains and owners of steamers trading in these seas is that it will now be absolutely necessary to keep their eyes open, their powfollowers wounded. All wounded as d sick | der dry, and their weapons ready, and use them without scruple or mercy, as it worse than useless to depend upon English law to execute justice, and they are much more likely to be put on trial themselves instead of the wretches whom dead bodies were found outside the en they may seize in the very act of plun-

A FRIENDLY LIFT.

General R. Hawley of Connecticut is a Republican candidate for Congress, and lately obtained the services of his friend Mark Twain to introduce him to the electors. The meeting was held at House of Lords. The Irish members, aid. Elmira (N.Y.), and thus the famous ed by the Radicals outside Parliament, are humorist in part delivered himself-"] see I am advertised to introduce the Major G. F. Blackwood | Lieut, Hector Maclean speaker of the evening, General Hawley to Connecticut, and I see it is in the report that I am to make a political speech. authority that a treaty has been sent up to But I am here only to give him a cha-Mandalay for consideration by the Burmese racter from his last place. As a pure Government, and that a British Envoy will citizen. I respect him; as a personal shortly proceed to the capital to discuss its friend of yours, I have the warmest regard for him; as a neighbour whose vegetable garden adjoins mine, whywhy, I watch him. That's nothing; we divided his army into three divisions and all do that with any neighbour. Geregularly invested Kandahar is now firing neral Hawley keeps his promises not into the city, but has done little damage. | only in private but in public. He is an He has sent some troops with guns towards editor who believes what he writes in Showrawak to stir up the inhabitants. hit own paper. He is broad-souled, General Stewart seems u fortunate with his transport. Large quantities of stores, grain | generous, noble, liberal, alive to his and rice, have been abandoned. A number | moral and religious responsibilities. of country people assembled at Jugdulluk | Whenever the contribution-box was pasand Pezwan to carry off these stores after | sed I never knew him to take out a cent. the departure of the troops. At Seh-Baba He is a square, true, honest man in after our departure there was a fight over politics, and I must say he occupies a the distribution of the stores which ended mighty lonesome position. He has in several men being killed and wounded. There have been disturbances in Cabul City. | never shirked a duty or backed down and unpopular men have been roughly from any position taken in public life. handled by the mob, among these being He is an American of Americans. so bountiful in his character, that he never | Col. Malcolmson (Cg.) | Lieut. Monteith turned a tramp empty-handed from door, but always gave him a letter of introduction to me. His trusts have been many, and never in the slightest L.Cl. H.S. And'son Cg. Lieut. Asiet did he prove unfaithful. Pure, honest. army in three divisions has occupied post- incorruptible - that is Joe Hawley. Lieut. Hind tions on three sides of the city. The last Such a man in politics is like a bottle of perfumery in a glue factory-it may modify the stench if it desen't destroy And now, in speaking thus highly of him, I haven't said any more of him than I would say of myself."

> VERY trustworthy authority, Löbel's Jahresberichte, says that up to the end of 1870. Krupo had supplied to the Chinese 150 siege guns and 275 field guns.

STUDENTS IN AMERICA.

Speaking of the Japanese and Chinese students in America, a recent writer in might say, the imbecility, of English | Scribner observes that about seventy of aw and administration of justice to deal the former are now members of A nerican with certain phases of crime in the Far schools and colleges. A third of the East. About two months ago a daring | number are connected with institutions plot was hatched in Hongkong and this of the Western and Pacific states; and port to seize an English mail steamer on the remainder are enrolled in Eastern the high seas in order to obtain posses- schools. About sixty of the whole body, sion of a large amount of gold she was however, are private students, and as carrying. It was the mercy of God that such have no connection with the home every man, woman, and child on board government. Only nine are under the hundred souls, were not foully mur- Education. The Japanese Commissioner dered and the steamer sunk, never more of Education in America gives the folstatement that General Primrose made a happened, for the scheme was only dis- "Two of them were graduated at covered by a most fortunate accident Bost n Law School, and are studying the Chinese capacity to understand what eigners are to be dealt with by their just when almost on point of being put the practice of law. One of them was in execution. Twenty-six of the mur- graduated at Cambridge Law School, states that the garrison have water, f nd seized and handed over to be dealt with New York. One was graduated at and ammunition in abundance: their by English law in Hongkong. They Columbia Law School, and got another could give no account of themselves, and degree from the Yale Law School, where March, 1878, and very much to the off." In conclusion, the Chinese say some of them were recognised by the he is studying now. Three of them were Hongkong police as old criminals. graduated at the Columbia School of

The project of sending Chinese youths they have been sit free to resume with abroad for study was first started by schemes. It is no wonder that the also placed in charge of the first batch of Hongkong press cry out against this students. This year there are one monstrous miscarriage of justice and hundred and eight Chinese in America engaged in study. Much latitude is conduct of the magistrate and the action | allowed in the individual choice of sub jects; but each of the five professions, be any truth in the allegation openly law, ongineering, mining, the navy and high quarter to the effect that the the Japanes, and Chinese pupils in America, the writer goes on to say that these are very marked. The former readily adopts Europeau manners and dress, while the Chinese still braids his blonse. The latter also learns the language more rapidly and employs it with greater facility than the Japanese. Both pay the utmost deference to authority. and are models of decorum and politeness, although the Japanese belong relatively to a higher caste. In mental characteristics the contrast is less marked. both cases memory is developed to an extent unknown in western countries; but this seems to be done at the expense of the logical faculties, "and a difficulty in conducting processes of thought of ordinary intricacy is one of the first defects which a teacher notices in their Intellectually, mental constitution. both are clear sighted rather than farsighted; and are distinguished for exactness in thought and statement." The Chinese make more advance in linguistic, foreigner has no more right to interfere with o of the Hongkong Executive in the case, the Japanese in mathematical studies. and we publish it because it appears to As a rule they are not addicted to the use of alcohol or tobacco. They are entirely free as to the adoption of Christianity, and many manifest much fondness for theological discussion; and influence in their respective countries in the lekin by proper precautions. favouring or opposing Christianity, also cannot fail to be great.- Japan Weekly

> THE FORCE AT KANDAHAR. According to recent telegrams General Primrose had only about 5,000 men in Kandahar, yet the Bombay papers give the following as the strength

> of the Kandahar Field Force :-The Kandahar Field Force under the command of General Primrose before the recent disaster consisted of nearly 11,000 men, namely, 712 artillery, 1,376 cavalry, 878 sappers and miners and 8,442 infantry. The details of the force were as follows:-Sappers and Miners, No. 2 company Bombay 109, No. 8 ditto 88, No. 4 ditto 91, No. 5 ditto 90. Cavalry: -2nd Sind Horse 427, 3rd ditto 495, Poons Horse 454. Artiltery: -E.B.R.H.A. 181, C 2 R.H. 185, 5-11 ditto 109, 14 9 ditto 90, No. 2 mountain battery, Bombay, 147. Infantry: -2 7th Foot 707, 66th ditto 828, 1st Bombay N. I. 734. 4th ditto 606, 5th ditto 767, 10th ditto 6.1. 17th ditto 681, 19th ditto 736, 27th ditto 691, 88th ditto 728, 29th ditto 695, 80th ditto 680. Staff, &c, with the force

> The Bombay papers published the following as lists of Officers with General Burrows' Gerishk Column and of the Officers reported killed or missing :---

FULL LIST OF OFFICIALS. Brigadier General Burrows. Captain P. C. Heath, Brigade Major. E. B. R. Horse Artillery. Ed. Geo. Osborn Vet. Sur. G.A.A. Oliver 66th Regiment.

Lt. Col. Gaibraith | Ident. Fitzgerard Chute O'Donel Edwards 2nd Lieut, Lynch Lonergan Mackington Millers Honeywood Bray Lt. Beresford.-Pierce Olvey Quartermaster Jones Surgeon Major Preston 80th Regt. Bo. N. I. (Jacobs Rifles). Colonel Mainwaring, c.r.s., Comdg. Major Tredell Lient. Cole

,, Justice Lt. Colonel Humpey Captain Harrison Salmon , Smith Surg. Kirtikar Brd Light Cavalry. Major Curry (Comdg.) | Lieut. Owen Geoghegan Surg. Street Brd Seind Horse, Surg. Burroughs 1st Regiment Bombay Native Infantry.

"C. M. Griffith Whitty Captain Grant Surg. Dane OFFICERS KILLED OR MISSING. Capt. Heath, Brigade MajonCapt. Rayner 1 Major Blackwood) Lt. Honeywood 68th B.H.A. , Barr Maolean Henr. Royal E'neers ... Owen, 3rd Cavalry.
Col. Galbraid ... Hinde lat Regs.
Whitty N. I. MaoNath | Garratt | Gails Foot | Capt. Smith | Soth Regt | Colo | N. L.

Licut. Fewell, Royal Artillery Col. Anderson 1 tot N. Lieut. Lynch (68th Foot Capt. Grant 88th N

CHINESE FOREIGN POLICY.

(Pall Mall Budget.) clear that in the immediate future agents are authorized to protest. Chinese politics will have to be studied

claiming for China a rigid adherence to | treaties is "reciprocal consideration and the treaties which she has signed, and mutual forbearance." stating that complaints have arisen in | Thus ends this very remarkable docuthe main from accidents to individuals ment-remarkable is showing great and from the incidence of taxation. As clearness of mind and firmness of judgto the former, no amount of foresight ment combined with a sound national can always guard against them, and the spirit. In our future business with latter arises from a difference in reading | China it would be well if we rememberthe treaty. But treaties may be revised ed that men who so thoroughly underonce in every ten years, and it is in stand their own position may be not inreference to these revisions that the capable of appreciating ours-even instructions are issued. Four cardinal where the highest considerations of points are named on which in the international morality are involved. opinion of the Tsungli Yamen they have hitherto failed to make the Chinese view understood. These are transit. lekin taxation, exterritoriality, and the "most favoured vation" clause. The opinion of the Chinese Government on these various points is put forward with a calmness, a precision, and a brevity, bably the "cradle of the human race." that would do credit to the ablest European State paper. On the point of transit inwards and outwards the remarks of the Tsungli Yamen are too technical to be of much general interest, but the principles regulating certificated and uncertificated merchandise are clearly laid down. With reference to the lekin dues, about which there has been so much dispute between peasant or lacquey that dares not reply or our own Government and that of China. it is plainly stated that the dues are as objectionable to Chinese merchants as they are to foreigners, and that the Chinese Government regards them as only a temporary expedient.

Independent Powers must be guided by national necessities in fixing their taxation. In these troublous times the demands on the Government are very heavy, and it is impossible to maintain that all such matters should be left t be determined by China herself, and that the object to them than China would have to interfere with or criticise the action of a foreign Government in raising loans or increasing taxes.

An excellent national sentiment exceedingly well put. Besides, the They were of all delicate textures and anaforeigner can, it is pointed out, escape No doubt China, in the conduct of

the negotiations about these dues, has shown a tendency to slippery dealing; but the subject is a difficult one and much complicated, as the Tsungli Yamên are themselves perfectly well aware, by i the unauthorized actions of powerful mandarins in their own provinces. That is where most of the difficulties in China arise-the local authorities place obstacles in the way of a fair interpretation of treaty rights. Where, however the position of China is maintained most forcibly is in the paragraph which deals with jurisdiction or territoriality. This is in every way so admirable that did space permit we should quote it at length. By the treaties foreigners in China are allowed to be dealt with by their own authorities. But more than this is claimed, and foreigners interpret this privilege as meaning that they may override the Chinese regulations with impunisy. To this the Tsungli Yamén such permission to foreigners by any treaty. Foreigners in China must obey, the laws of China, only if they break them they are to be punished by their own national officials in accordance with their own national laws. Can anything be more reasonable than this? "In a word," to quote the State paper, "the true meaning of the exterritoriality clause is not that a foreigner is at liberty to break Chinese laws, but that if he offends he shall be punished by his own national officials." But, that arrangement having been made, there i another point, too; and this is that foreign Governments should take care that, foreign consuls being vested with this great authority, only good and "trustworthy" men should be appointed to these posts. Several States, however appoint merchant-consuls, who are often quite unfit to discharge judicial functions.

Moreover, where cases requiring joint investigation occur it is neither convenient nor dignified for a Chinese official to sit on the bench with a merchant-consul, who may have been flued for smuggling the day before, or who in his mercantile capacity may perhaps be personally interested in the case at 16804.

That the Chinese authorities here take a very intelligible view of that which i right and proper none can dispute. We ourselves are a good deal too much in the habit of forgetting that in dealing with China we are brought in contac with a vilized nation which, though it is not advanced as we are, has a perfect conception of its own dignity; and in theory, at least, an admirable code of laws, especially in reference to commercial matters. Even lately, too, it has been remarkable, as in the offairs with the Portuguese at Macao, how resolute the Chinese have been in taking their stand upon treaties. Those they are willing to observe, and to explain why they have not been fully carried out. Once outside treaty law, however, and there is no more security with them than there would be with a European nation. With respect to the most favoured nation clause, the Tsungli Yamen contend that us "it is difficult to distinguish between foreigners, or to say which belongs to which nationality," if is only right that the most favoured na-

tion clause should extend to all. But then no nation must accept the privilege At the present time the question of without giving the corresponding consi-European relations with China is assum- deration in the original treaty. To ing greater importance than at any pre- claim the benefit of the clause otherwise vious time, and it has become quite is unfair, and against this the Chinese

The last instruction relates to missionwith much more attention than we have pries, and here again China takes up hitherto devoted to them. The mar- ground which is to cur mind absolutely vellous change which has taken place impregnable. Recognizing that "the in the attitude of China herself towards | object of all religious systems is to do Europe is in itself one of the great men good," China has granted the mispolitical features of the time. Her am- | sionaries protection. But some of these bassadors have thoroughly advised the missionaries, "exalting the importance Imperial Council as to the respective of their office, arrogate to themselves an standing of the various European States, official status," and interfere with Chiand this newly acquired knowledge has ness official business. "This state of been turned to good purpose in recent things China cannot tolerate or submit action. But by far the best evidence of to." By the exterritoriality clause foris going on, and to appreciate her own own national authorities; but Chinese position, is contained in the instructions subjects on Chinese soil, whether Chrisof the Tsungli Yamen to the Chinese tians or not Christians, are to be dealt with by Chinese officials under Chinese These instructions were issued in law, and missionaries must keep "hands point they are. They commence by what is needed for the modification of

HERE Rudolph Falb asserts that the lauguages of the Peruvian and Bolivian Indians have such affinities with Arabic that they have led him to the discovery that the Semitic roots are nearly all Aryan, and that the tableland of Peru and Bolivia was pro-MONTATONE said "that the greatest

vices derive their propensity from our most tender infancy and our principal education depends on the nurse. Mothers are mightipleased to see a child writhe the neck of a chicken or please itself by hurting a cat or a dog; and such wise fathers there are in the world who consider it as a notable mark of a material spirit, when they hear their sons miscall, or see them domineer over a turn again; and a great sign of wit when they see them cheat and overreach their playfellows by some malicious trick of treachery and deceit: but for all that, these are the true seeds and roots of ornelty, tyranny, and treason,"

Interesting to Labers .- A curious and novel exhibition was given a short time since at No. 28 West Fourteenth street, to the press of New York, the invitations being issued by Hon. Hugh McCullough, and avoid having recourse to special measures. We Frederick W. Warner, Esq., to see the invention of D. M. Lamb for making all dress goods water-repellent. Some fifty newspapers were represented, and the occasion was a success in every respect. Lovely silks, satins, velvets, cropes, ribbons, laces and all dress goods, were displayed, which had been treated by the Neptunite process. line colors, and it was impossible to distinguish any difference between these and the samples of the same which hung below and which had not been treated. But the difference was very apparent as soon as a garden hose was turned on them and they were covered with water. For the water bounded off the pieces that had Been treated, leaving them apparently untomched and certainly uninjured, while it thoroughly saturated the other samples, as water has a habit of doing, Mr Warner then poured claret upon a lovely sky-blue silk from a bettle, and then washed it off with a dash of Croton, leaving the goods unstained. He poured a decoction of strong coffee over a delicate white silk, and it left no mark, and then he dashed a bottle of writing ink on the same fabric and it ran harmlessly off to the floor, leaving no indication of its presence and inflicting no injury whatever. The ladies laughed outright when they saw their old enemies vanquished, and especially when they saw a stream of water turned on a "love of a bonnet" of velvet and pink silk decorated with laces, gorgeous nibbons, and ostrich plumes, and sprayed over gloves of all tints; and gentlemen were delighted when they saw a silk hat put under the faucet shed water like a duck. It was announced cannot consent. China has granted no | that this solution could be applied at the rate of a cent or two a pard.

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Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

TITHE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such

extra matter. The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents Government House, North of Public in Hongkong half-yearly in advance. The publication includes papers original and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a resumé in each number of the contents of the most recent

department. Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

works bearing on Chinese matters. Great

attention is also paid to the Review

The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compete for the best Masonic Hall, Zetland Street. paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, reportory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Leview. Address China Review, Hongkong. - Northern

Christian Advocate (U.S.) Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- " This ! is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Oueries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Uninese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Levicw by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its prede-

THE CHINESE MAIL

cessor in the field, and that the China Keview

may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intend-

ed to appear every two months, and will

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1. No Letier or Packet, whether to be registered or u registered can be received for Postage if it contains gold or silver money, jewels, precious articles, or anything that, as a general rule, is liable to Customs

2. This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no value. 3. The limits of weight allowed are as

Books and Papers-to British Offic s, 5 lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 4 lbs. Patterns-to British Offices, 5 lbs. if without intrinsic value; to the Continent, &c., 8 oz.

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the United Kingdom, New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Western Australia, and (except at Shanghai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong also issues orders on Shanghal, and vice versa. the other Ports by means of Postage

2 -Small sums may be remitted between Stamps, subject to a charge of one per Chinklang cent, for cashing them. 3. -Many Money Orders are supplied to

residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order* is filled up. and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unscaled envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it a were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails.

4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day+ and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived. The commission is as follows:--

Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to £2...... 18 cents. -,, £5...... 36 ,, Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5.....25 cents.

, \$50 or £10....50 ,, 5.-Lists of Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at

6.-Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian name) but the name of the Payee need not be given if the order be crossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only through a Bank, and may afterwards be specially crossed to any Bank. 7.-No order can be paid till the Payee

has signed it in the proper place. An order oan be transferred to another office on payment of an additional commission. In case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest Money Order Office for instructions. 8.—If the order be not presented within

six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months. the money will be forfeited. When the order is once pald no further claim can be entertained.

9.—No order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received.

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Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the Lody of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf, 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office. 8. From Pier to East Point. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. Destination. Remarks. Date of Arrival Consignees or Agents. Flag and Tons. Vessel's Name. Steamers K'loon Dook Birley & Co.Brit. str. 1 David Sassoon, Sons & Co. S'pore, Calcutta, &c. 11th, 3 p.m. Port Darwin 8 Vogel & Co. Cassandra 5 c Canger Ger. str. 2 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Chas. Townsend Hook 3 c Bradley Y'hama & San F'cisco To-day 1 P. M. S. S. Co. 14th, daylight Bangkok 4 Yuen Fat Houg Consolation 4 c Young Chinkiang 2 Geo. R. Stevens & Co. found these facilities with a Parcel Post to Ornsader 4 c Rowin Brit. str. 12th, daylight Coast Ports 8 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Costan Dock Manila 5 Remedios & Co. Elcano Urriola pan, str. Tug Plying H.K. & W'pos Dock Co. Brit. hi bastopani Tamani, &c. 6 Douglas Lapraik & Co. thaiphong, &c. Con'tan Dock i Russell & Co. N'aski & Yokohama To-morrow 8 P. & O. S. N. Co. ...Brit. str. Contan Dock ****************** Remedios & Co. 5 Melchers & Co. 24 Ohina Traders' Insurance Co S'pore, Calcutta, dec 11th, 3 p.m. 1 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Sucz 5 c Caton 8rit. Amoy & Shanghai Ab'deen Dock ************* 4 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 27 C. M. S. N. Co. Shanghai To-morrow Yangtsze 4 c schultze Brit. str. Swatow 5 Kwok Acheong & Sons 286 ...2 h McDougall Brit To-morrow 9|C. M. S. N. Co. 761 Sept. str. Sailing Vessels New YorkAmer. sh Nagasaki 652 July Alva Port. Anna Bertha 5 k Krause Ger. bqe.
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Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

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Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	Н. Р.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.	
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Leander for Melbourne MEN-OF-WAR. Sheldrake H. M. gunboat	Klang-ching Chinese Rung Wo British Miramar British Packong British	Kolga British barque Oscar Vidal British barque Nourmshai British barque Parthia British ship
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